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To: Nichols, Miranda (MPCA) [miranda.nichols@state.mn.us]

Subject: RE: 2022 Revisions to Minnesota's Statewide Mercury TMDL - Request for Approval

No problem on the ATTAINS stuff. I am busy with other things and haven't thought about MN 2022 ATTAINS in a week or so, which seems like a long time.

Also, FYI, my supervisors are likely going to be reaching out to Catherine Neuschler and Bill Cole re: setting up a time to talk about Birch Lake and the comments which you all received in the 2022 Public Notice. I assume that reaching out email will be sent to Catherine and Bill, and potentially you as well, in the coming days.

Hope your detail is going well! Happy Friday

Paul

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From: Nichols, Miranda (MPCA) <miranda.nichols@state.mn.us>

Sent: Friday, February 4, 2022 9:43 AM

Excellent! Thanks, Bill!

2022 IWL FYI: Paul, I have not gotten to the ATTAINS stuff but I'll let you know when I do.

Miranda

From: Proto, Paul proto.paul@epa.gov>
Sent: Friday, February 4, 2022 9:40 AM

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Thank you Bill.

Acknowledging that R5 has received this final submittal from MPCA and will begin processing/reviewing the final materials.

Have a nice morning,

Paul

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Sent: Friday, February 4, 2022 9:34 AM **To:** Fong, Tera <Fong.Tera@epa.gov>

<todd.biewen@state.mn.us>

Subject: 2022 Revisions to Minnesota's Statewide Mercury TMDL - Request for Approval

Dear Tera Fong,

The Minnesota Pollution Control Agency requests approval for revisions to the state's mercury TMDL. Please see Todd Biewen's letter attached. I am available for questions from staff. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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